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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended: December 8, 1990



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Preface

The Weekly Coal Production (WCP) provides weekly estimates of U.S. coal production by State. Supplementary data are usually published monthly in two supplements: the Coal Exports and Imports Supplement and the Domestic Market Supplement. Coal Exports and Imports Supplement contains detailed monthly data on U.S. coal and coke exports and imports. The Domestic Market Supplement contains detailed monthly electric utility coal statistics, by Census Division and State, for generation, consumption, stocks, receipts, sulfur content, prices, and the origin and destination of coal shipments. This supplement also contains summary-level, monthly data for all coal-consuming sectors on a quarterly basis.

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Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended December 8, 1990, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 22 million short tons, slightly higher than in the previous week, and in the comparable

week in 1989. Coal production east of the Mississippi River totaled 13 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 9 million short tons.

Figure 1. Coal Production

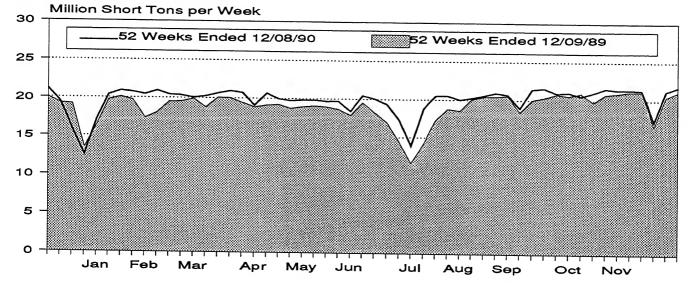


Table 2. Coal Production by State (Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	12/08/90	12/01/90	12/09/89
ituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	12,798	12,620	12,855
Alabama	638	592	639
Illinois	1,283	1,103	1,291
Indiana	750	947	725
Kentucky	3,569	3,407	3,639
Kentucky, Eastern	2,576	2,514	
Kentucky, Western	993	893	2,702
Maryland	62	61	937
Ohio	725	706	69
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1.304		718
Tennessee	149	1,299	1,331
Virginia	922	145	157
West Virginia		1,013	884
Trest Tilgilla	3,396	3,349	3,401
West of the Mississippi	9.020		
Alaska	8,932	8,562	8,223
Arizona	32	31	44
Arkanson	267	260	249
Arkansas	2	2	2
Colorado	421	435	449
lowa	8	8	7
Kansas	26	25	25
Louisiana	79	63	66
Missouri	63	61	77
Montana	824	809	832
New Mexico	365	450	418
North Dakota	679	666	
Oklahoma	37	34	621
Texas	1.216	1,188	40
Utah	488	494	1,109
Washington	109		508
Wyoming	4.317	107	109
	7,517	3,931	3,664
ituminous¹ and Lignite Total	21.730	04 400	
ennsylvania Anthracite	21,730 54	21,182	21,078
	J4	71	62
S. Total	21,784	21,253	21,139

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

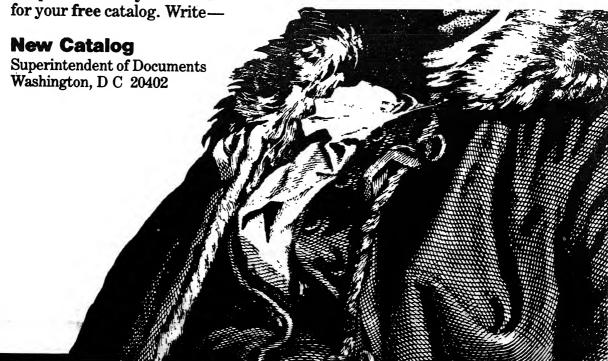
Notes: 1990 data are preliminary. Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding. Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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